

# COURTHOUSE CONNECTION

## description:

Strong axial pathway connects two plazas and divides the park into similar-sized lawn and activity areas.  
Distinct areas allow for accommodation of several disparate uses.

## program elements:

Increased hardscape areas.  
Plazas for performances / events.  
Areas for commercial activity.  
Children's play area or dog run free area.  
Lawn areas for passive use.  
Activate south facade of King County Courthouse.

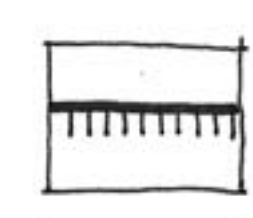


## management implications:

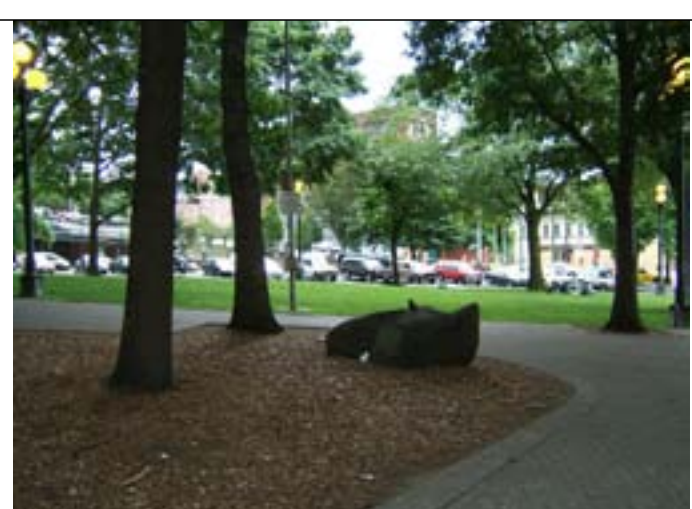
Increased maintenance for playground/dog area.  
Increased maintenance for lawns and plazas.  
Involve manager for vendors.  
Increase security.

## larger issues:

City (Redevelopment Plan): Create larger neighborhood base of residents.  
King County: Use or abandonment of south service ramp .  
King County: Integration of Courthouse south 'court' into park use.  
King County/SDOT: Allow mixed use of Jefferson St. access to service area.

## legend:

-  open street wall
-  closed street wall
-  access barrier



# CITY HALL PARK schematic alternative

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